

NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE PROMULGATION

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192

RULE NUMBER AND TITLE: DMR Regulation 95.06 JJ, Closed Area No. 25-N, High Island - McFarlands Cove, South Bristol.

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.06 JJ, Closed Area No. 25-N, High Island to McFarlands Cove, South Bristol.

1. Effective immediately, because of potential microbiological contamination, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, mussels, oysters and quahogs taken from all shores, flats and waters of the western shores of Johns River inshore and westerly of a line drawn from the easternmost point on High Island, southerly to the easternmost point on McFarlands Point, thence southerly to the red nun "2" navigation marker at McFarlands Ledges, thence westerly to a red painted post on the South Bristol shore, about 100 yards south of Kings Cove.

Violation of any provision of this regulation shall be a Class D Crime (12 M.R.S.A. Section 6204).

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 9, 1990

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STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

As authorized by 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192, the Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources establishes the DMR Regulation 95.06 JJ, Closed Area No. 25-N, which closes the western shore of Johns River from the easternmost point on High Island to a red painted post located 100 yards south of Kings Cove.

Department personnel have determined that the closed area contains licensed overboard waste discharges. The probability of malfunction of those systems pose a threat to the public health and consequently the harvest of clams, mussels, oysters and quahogs in the closed area is prohibited.



WILLIAM J. BRENNAN  
Commissioner



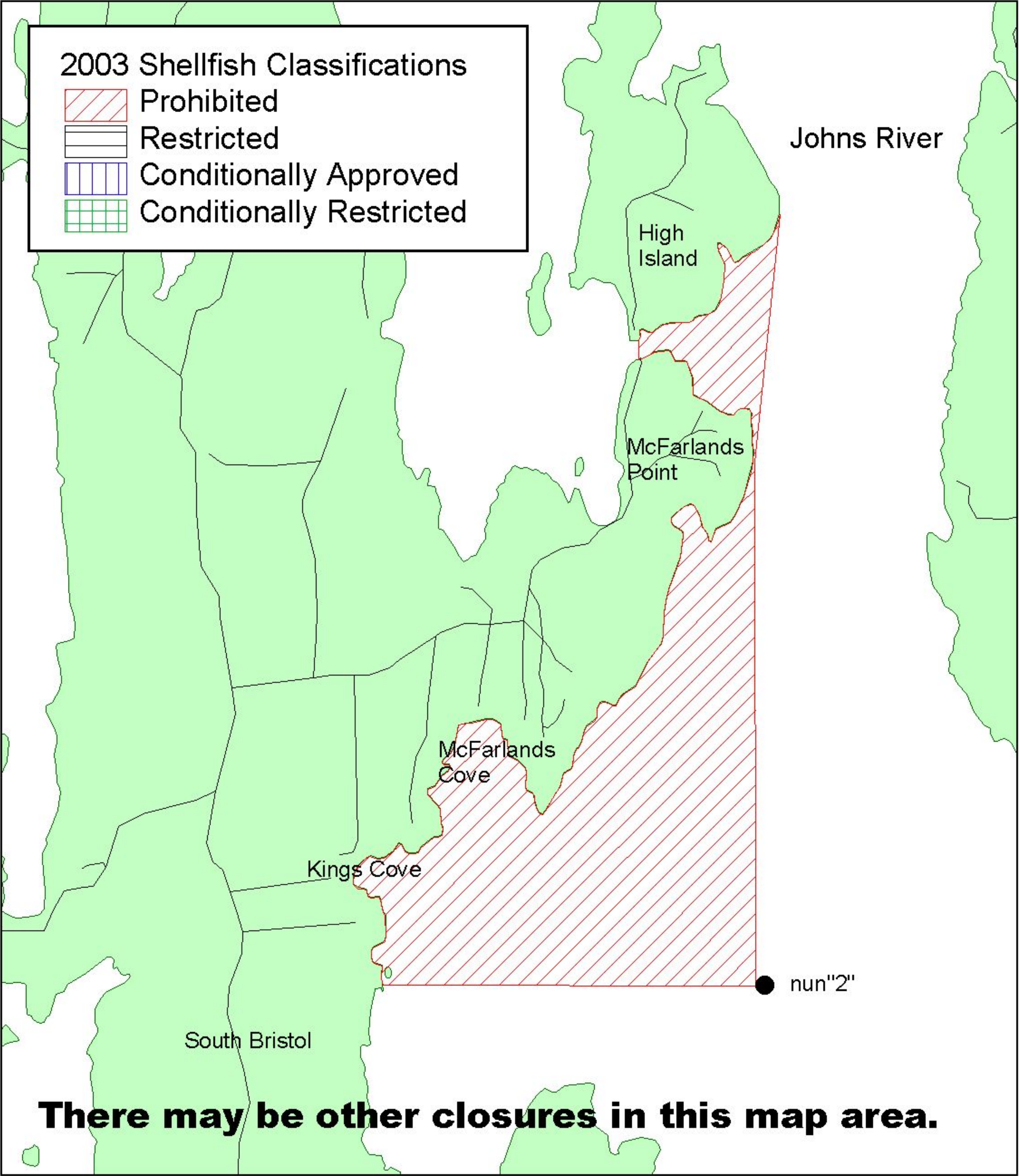


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Legal Notice of Shellfish Closure Area

C25N High Is to McFarlands Cove

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